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The area covered by this memorandum extends from 26°10'N to 26°30'N and from 119°15'E to 120°00'E.

The data included in this memorandum was obtained by study and interpretation of the latest available aerial photography which dates from [REDACTED]

For comparison and changes, attention is called to the previous photo intelligence memorandum covering the Pehling Peninsula area, "Tatsu Situation Study", GP/I - 89, 6 May 1955.

It should be noted that AA guns, previously reported in GP/I - 89, 6 May 1955 as Medium AA (85 mm) are now listed as Heavy AA (85 mm) and those reported as Light AA (37 mm) are now listed as Medium AA (37 mm).

Summary of Weapons Positions in the Pehling Peninsula Area

<u>Occupied Positions</u>	<u>Previously Reported</u>	<u>Since Last Report</u>	<u>Total</u>
Artillery	4	28	32
Heavy AA (85 mm)	-	-	-
Medium AA (37 mm)	<u>18</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>36</u>
	22	46	68

980866 - 4 probable artillery positions are under construction in Huang-Chi area.

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900005 - Probable 4 gun coastal battery at entrance to straits into Lo-Yuan Wan.

Summary of Transportation Facilities in the Pehling Peninsula Area

612045 - A bridge across the inlet in the Lo-Yuan area has been completed as verified by photography of [REDACTED]

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585053 to 558269- First class road from Lo-Yuan north to Ning-Te (Ningteh) has been completed as verified by photography of [REDACTED]

535699 to 755804- A road from Lien-Chiang to Kuan-Ling along the SW coast of the Pehling Peninsula is under construction as of latest photo coverage of [REDACTED]

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800348 to 853902- A road along north central coast of the Pehling Peninsula is under construction as of latest photo coverage of [REDACTED] Roadway is nearly completed except for numerous small bridges.

809904 to 984849- The road across Pehling Peninsula from the north central coast to the Huang-Chi area has been completed as verified by photography of [REDACTED]

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Comments on Pehling Peninsula Situation

There is evidence of considerable activity on the Pehling Peninsula. Most of this activity is concentrated in the Huang-Chi area. This activity is in the form of construction of strong points, new artillery and AA [REDACTED] and intricate patterns of defense positions. Advantage is taken of the rough terrain and many ridges and hill tops. Most of the increase in artillery and AA positions occurred during the [REDACTED]

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There has also been a large increase in the number of barrack and storage type buildings.

570045 - A large storage area has been constructed SW of the city of Lo-Yuan.